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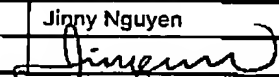
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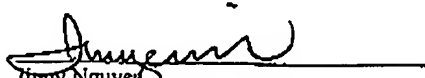
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Mail Stop Amendment
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO AUGUST 29, 2005 OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office action dated August 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.